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C O N F I D E N T I A L ANKARA 1048

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR, CY, TU  
SUBJECT: POSSIBLE VISIT TO US BY TFSC "FONMIN" CELIK

1. MFA DIRECTOR CYPRUS/GREECE AFFAIRS, EKREM GUVENDIREN, CONTACTED DCM THIS MORNING, FEBRUARY 10. GUVENDIREN SAID THAT TFSC "FONMIN" CELIK WAS PRESENTLY IN ANKARA AND WOULD BE LEAVING THIS WEEKEND FOR GENEVA TO PARTICIPATE IN MEETING OF UN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION. FROM THERE, CELIK WAS PROCEEDING TO LONDON WHERE HE WOULD BE RECEIVED BY BRITISH DEPUTY FONMIN OWEN.

2. GUVENDIREN SAID THAT BEFORE LEAVING CYPRUS, CELIK HAD REQUESTED AMBASSADOR CRAWFORD TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR A CALL BY CELIK ON SECRETARY VANCE IN WASHINGTON IN EARLY MARCH. GUVENDIREN SAID DENKTASH FELT IT WAS VERY IMPORTANT THAT CELIK BE RECEIVED BY THE SECRETARY. DENKTASH HAD NOTED THAT THE SECRETARY HAD RECEIVED CLERIDES AND GELT

THAT TURK CYPRIOTS SHOULD HAVE A SIMILAR OPPORTUNITY TO EXPRESS THEIR VIEWS. ACCORDING TO GUVENDIREN, AMBASSADOR CRAWFORD HAD TOLD CELIK HE WOULD PASS THE REQUEST ON TO  
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WASHINGTON. GUVENDIREN ASKED THAT IF THE SECRETARY AGREED TO SEE MELIK, A MESSAGE BE PASSED TO LATTER EITHER THROUGH TURKISH FOREIGN OFFICE HERE, TURKISH MISSION IN GENEVA, OR TURKISH EMBASSY IN LONDON.

3. COMMENT: WE RECOGNIZE THAT THIS REQUEST POSES A DIFFICULT AND DELICATE QUESTION TO USG. WE SUGGEST THAT

DEPARTMENT MAY WISH TO HOLD IN ABEYANCE DECISION AS TO WHETHER  
CELIK SHOULD BE RECEIVED AND AT WHAT LEVEL UNTIL WE SEE HOW  
CLIFFORD MISSION IS GOING.  
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